

City of Northampton
MASSACHUSETTS

In City Council, May 17, 2018

Upon the recommendation of the Community Preservation Committee

18.103

An Order

For Conservation Area Historical and Ecological Interpretive Signage, Office of Planning & Sustainability, \$2,900

Ordered, that

WHEREAS, the Office of Planning and Sustainability submitted a Small Grants application for creation of informational signage at permanently protected open spaces around the City.

WHEREAS, the project will provide historical, cultural, and natural resource information about the City's conservation areas and will help encourage visitation to these open spaces;

WHEREAS, the project meets goals of both historic preservation and open space and recreation, and is supported by the Conservation Commission

WHEREAS, on April 4, 2018, the Northampton Community Preservation Committee, voted unanimously to recommend that \$2,900 in Community Preservation Act funds be used to support this project.

WHEREAS, if successful, the interpretive signage program will be incorporated into planning for future acquisitions.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED,

That \$2,900 be appropriated from Community Preservation Act funding to Conservation Area Historical and Ecological Interpretive Signage Project. And, that the grantee meets the conditions approved by the Community Preservation Committee, the Mayor, and City Council.

Specifically, \$2,900 is appropriated from the CPA Budgeted Reserve (account #2344930-359930).